Looks like we'll be getting a couple of chess games going. I will be publishing the moves here, but the games will be run independently of the zine schedules. If you are playing a game of postal chess, send me the latest moves with your Diplomacy orders and I will bring things up to date.

The first game pits Steve Kwiatkowski (White) against Dennis Agosta (Black). Game 2 will be Stephen Dycus (White) against Steve Kwiatkowski (Black). Any other takers? ***

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GEORGE WASHINGTON

FALL STICING 1902

ENGLAND (McIlvaine) F Nrwg-Nth, F Nth-Den

, F Skag S F Nth-Den, A Yor H

FRANCE (Dycus) F Lyon-Mar, A Pic-Par, F Spa(sc) S F Lyon-Mar **RET POR, MAO, DTB, A Gas S F Lyon-Mar, A Ruhr-Mun GERMANY (Lambert) F Kiel-Helg, <u>A Bur-Par</u>, A Den H, A Bel H, F Hol S A Bel

ITALY (Barents) F Tyrr-Lyon, F WMed S A Mar-Spa, A Mar-Spa, A Ven-Tus

AUSTRIA (Gallagher) A Bud-Gal, <u>A Boh-Mun</u>, F Gre H, A Tri-Bud, A Ser S TUR <u>A Bul-Rum</u>

RUSSIA (Colandro) A Ukr S F Rum, A StP-Fin, F Swe S GER A Den, A Mos-StP, F Rum H, A Sev-Arm

TURKEY (Kwiatkowski) F Con-Bul(nc), F Bla S F Con-Bul(nc), A Smy-Arm, A_Bul-Rum

SUPPLY CENTER CHART:

ENG	EDI,LVP,LON,NWY	(4)	EVEN
FRA	BRE, PAR, MAR, POR, <spa></spa>	(4)	-1
GER	KIE, MUN, BER, HOL, DEN, *BEL*	(6)	+1
ITA	VEN, ROM, NAP, TUN, *SFA*	(5)	+1
AUS	VIE, BUD, TRI, GRE, SER	(5)	EVEN
RUS	SEV, STP, MOS, WAR, SWE, RUM	(6)	EVEN
TUR	CON, ANK, SMY, BUL	(4)	EVEN

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PRESS

(Vienna) Sorry, comrade, but you are either untrustworthy or too good a liar for your own good.

(Vienna) The man in the bowler hat has green tea in his ear.

(Rome) It has been announced that the Grand Marshal of the force of Peace was on his way to Paris for a conference with the Frogs, when he was bushwacked by them. "I'll have Frog Legs before I leave this country!" he said. That is what you get when you are bushedwacked in France, lucky guy.

(Naples) Rumors have once again surfaced of a poor Dutch boy that roams the world looking for Foreign Affairs to have. The rumors are that he is in Rome waiting to see the Pope. Could it be that he has gotten kinky in his old age?

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JOHN ADAMS

SPRING 1901

ENGLAND (Stewart) F Lon-Eng, F Edi-Nth, A Lvpl-Wal FRANCE (Beardsley) F Bre-MAD, A Par-Bur, A Mar-Spa GERMANY (Dycus) F Kiel-Hol, A Mun-Ruhr, A Ber-Mun ITALY (Gallagher) F Nap-Ion, A Rom-Ven, A Ven-Tyrr AUSTRIA (Johnson) F Tri-Alb, A Bud-Ser, A Vie-Gal RUSSIA (Lambert) F StP(sc)-Both, A War-Ukr, A Mos-Liv, F Ev-Rum TURKEY (Nelsen) F Ank-Con, A Con-Bul, A Smy H

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COA:

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Bob Beardsley, 89 Pebble Ridge Rd., Warrington, PA 18976 Brian Gallagher, 117 Greenridge Dr., Monongahela, PA 15063

We may have a small problem with this game — it seems the Boardman Number Custodian is reluctant to give a Boardman Number because 3 of the players are (were, actually) from New Jersey, and two are (were) from the same town. Bill, please note that Mr. Beardsley's address has changed (it was listed as temporary last time), and there are no longer two players from the same zip code. As for Red Bank being local to Edison, it really isn't. I'm afraid that the prospect of running/playing in Diplomacy games that do not carry Boardman Numbers really doesn't bother me as much as it would have a few years back. As a matter of fact, it won't bother me at all, although I will make an effort to convince Bill that we should have one, and I will continue to support his efforts. If anyone has a problem with this, let me know.

CHESS SECTION:

CHESS 1

WHITE (KWIATKOWSKI)

BLACK (AGOSTA)

1. P-Q4

P-04

2. P-QB4

PxP

NOTES: I just received a copy of a new zine that looks to be a real winner - Excelsior, published by Bruce McIntyre, 6191 Winch St., Burnaby, B.C., CANADA V5B 2L4. Bruce is apparently investing in offset printing, and the graphics and artwork are top notch. Sub rates are \$7 for 10 issues plus \$3 per game. Well worth taking a look at. . . If you are a baseball fanatic, there are two books around which you should find fascinating. The Scouting Report by Dave Campbell, Denny Matthews, Brooks Robinson and Duke Snider conatins an in-depth analysis of the strengths and weaknesses of every (almost) active major league baseball player. If you are in to postal or face-to-face table-top baseball like I am, this book can give you a real edge come draft and trade time. The other book is Baseball Abstract by Bill James. This book (due out soon) contains unusual and detailed analysis of major league teams and players. It is enjoyable reading, and provides a lot of insight into the previous baseball season.

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